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1003	130	2003	65	Non-English specification
1812	2,520	1812	2,520	For filing a request for <i>ex parte</i> re-examination
1804	920*	1804	920*	Requesting publication of SIR prior to Examination action
1805	1,840*	1805	1,840*	Requesting publication of SIR after Examiner action
1201	110	2201	55	Extension for reply within first month
1202	420	2202	210	Extension for reply within second month
1203	850	2203	420	Extension for reply within third month
1204	1,410	2204	700	Extension for reply within fourth month
1205	2,010	2205	1,005	Extension for reply within fifth month
1401	330	2401	165	Notice of Appeal
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1403	200	2403	100	Request for oral hearing
1401	1,510	2401	1,510	Petition to institute a public use proceeding
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